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REQUEST FOR STATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On October 31, 2003, applicants forwarded a Nonprovisional Patent Application to the U.S. Patent Office in the above-captioned application. To date applicants have received no substantive action in this matter. May we please hear from you regarding the current status of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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